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Plus End-directed Microtubule Motor Required For Chromosome

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Dear Sir or Madam:

- 1. Although more than 20 months have passed since the filing of the above referenced patent application, a first Office Action has not been received.
- 2. Kindly advise the undersigned as to when a first Office Action is expected to be mailed.

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